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You may be sure that there is something therein worthy of it. We are receiving daily new garments of late colors and styles.

Our trade of this season assures us that we have the best and handsomest garments, at lower prices, than any house in the city.

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We have a few Sacques of rare color which we are selling at very low prices. They are good, serviceable garments for winter wear. We are sure that the demand for them will be great, and as our stock is limited we would suggest an early visit.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Decker Brothers, Haines Brothers, Fischer and D. H. Baldwin & Co's Pianos, and ESTEY, SCHWENGER and HAMILTON Organs.  
Parties at a distance desiring bargains should not fail to write for fuller descriptions.  
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Absolutely fire and burglar-proof vault for the safe keeping of Securities and Other Valuables. Safes for rent at \$5 and upward per year. Call and visit vault.

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And see the finest lot of Books for Children ever shown in Indianapolis.

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Wedding and Birthday Gifts.

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MATTER AND MOTION. By J. Clerk Maxwell. . . . . 50

A HISTORY OF CHARLES THE GREAT  
(Charlemagne). By J. I. Mombert, D. D. \$5.00

THE ASPEN PAPERS. By Henry James. . . . . 1.50

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16 & 18 W. Washington St.

## The New York Store

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## HOLIDAY GOODS

Yesterday we spoke of Albums at 60c as good as you ever bought at \$1, but we ought to have told you that we have over 1,000 Albums at 50c to \$5, all the new shapes and colors. What we want to say today is that we have 50 Fruit Dishes at \$2.19, worth \$4, and 50 at \$2.89, worth \$5, all first-class goods. Our full line Rogers Bros.' 1847 Table Cutlery is now open. The above will interest you. Books and Holiday Goods opening every day.

Look for new advertisement on Friday.

## PRICES IN PLAIN FIGURES.

## PETTIS, BASSETT &amp; CO

FURNITURE at Wm. L. Elder's

## DRIVEN FROM HIS COUNTY

A Colored Republican Who Incurred the Hatred of Bluffton Democrats.

They Followed Him to His Protector's Place and Tried to Capture Him—A Variety of Matter Taken from Court Dockets.

Peter Jackson, colored, who was driven out of Wells county because he voted the Republican ticket at the recent election, has come to Indianapolis to tell his story to the federal grand jury. He was the only man of his race, and one of few Republicans, in that county, his home being in Bluffton, where he made a living by keeping a small restaurant. "A day or two before the election," said Mr. Jackson to a Journal reporter, yesterday, "several Democrats came to me and asked if I was going to vote their ticket. I told them I was not, and they said if I did not, they would kill me. The evening before the election they were continually making threats, and an old Republican farmer, several miles from town, persuaded me to go home with him and spend the night. I had been out to his house but a short time when two or more Democrats, whose names I can give, came up in a buggy and asked if I was there. The farmer told them I was, and they then said I was wanted in town. The farmer replied that I would not go back that night, but would stay and go in the morning. Just then they came with a shotgun in my hand and the Democrats seeing I was getting desperate went back to town. The next morning I went into town, and surrounded by the forty or fifty Republicans of the precinct of the place, went up to vote. Although I had lived in the place for ten years my vote was challenged. It was sworn in, though threats of all kinds were being made against me, and in order to save my life I took the advice of friends and left immediately for Marion, where I remained until I came here. The Democrats around Bluffton are saying that not another negro shall ever come into the county, and I do not propose to go back. I have the names of all the men who threatened my life, and am going to see that they cannot be punished. I have no doubt but that if I had attempted to remain in Wells county I would have been whipped, and perhaps killed. Colored men have never been treated worse in the South than I was here."

## A Dispute About the Kennedy Children.

A few weeks ago Judge Sullivan directed W. G. Kennedy and wife and directed that the children be sent to the Orphan Asylum, believing that neither of the parents was a proper person to have charge of them. Yesterday Mr. Kennedy's father, who is a well-to-do citizen of Montreal, Canada, came here and secured from Judge Hadley a modification of the decree so as to permit him to take the children to his own home and care for them. A few hours after the order was made Mrs. Kennedy appeared in court with her attorney and objected because she had been notified to be present when the order was made. She did not want the children taken to Canada, but Judge Hadley said that while he did not like to send children out of his jurisdiction, due to the circumstances he thought he was doing what was best for the little ones. The attorney for Mrs. Kennedy then gave notice that he would bring habeas corpus proceedings for the return of the children until the matter can be brought before the court again.

## Property with Many Claimants.

A suit involving the title to all the lots located in Bruce's addition to this city was begun in the Superior Court last evening. The plaintiffs are John A. and John W. Bruce, and there are ninety-five defendants, headed by George P. Bissel. The plaintiffs, who lay claim to the addition, state that William Reagan, the original owner of the land, died April 5, 1847, leaving a will, which he had written in 1842. In March, 1847, the will was probated. It left the entire estate to his widow, Nancy Reagan, and his two daughters, Rachael Johnson and Doris Bruce. Mrs. Johnson, the eldest daughter, died April 24, 1847, without having seen the property. Her only issue was H. L. Johnson, and he died on Sept. 13, 1856. He left as his sole heir John W. Johnson, who died Dec. 14, 1872, without issue. Nancy Reagan, the wife and mother, died February, 1874, leaving no rightful heir except her daughter, Doris Bruce, and the plaintiffs allege that they are the rightful heirs of that lady. In March, 1872, however, George Bruce purchased from Nancy Bruce her life estate, and it is alleged that in some pretended proceedings in partition in the Circuit Court the premises were platted, streets and alleys laid out, and it became an addition to the city. Each one of the defendants claims to have some interest by purchase or otherwise, and the court is asked to determine who is entitled to the ownership of the now very valuable property. The case is one of the most complicated ones that has ever come to the court, as it involves many transactions covering a period of nearly fifty years.

## Damage to Hotel Property.

Adolph Seidensticker has brought suit in the Superior Court against the Indiana Railway Company for damages on account of the construction of railroad tracks on McNabb street. Mr. Seidensticker is the owner of the National Hotel, just south of the depot, and he alleges that since the lines were built on the street travel over it has ceased, and his business in consequence has been greatly injured. He asks the court to fix the damage at whatever may be deemed right, and to enjoin the company from using the tracks until the amount is paid.

## Prevented Him from Voting.

Wm. Pfafflin, who was inspector in the first precinct of the Thirteenth ward at the recent election, and John Smith and Wm. Hall, judges, are defendants in a suit for \$1,000 damages, brought by Douglas Whittaker. Damages are demanded by the plaintiff because he was not permitted to vote. He alleges that the inspector would not receive his ticket, and after the necessary affidavit had been made.

## Has It Under Adversity.

Special Judge Ritter yesterday heard the argument in the petition of James Egan and others to have Thomas M. Gruelle, John Bodenbender, William Langstaff and Henry Spain, punished for contempt of court, because they have been continuing the publication of the Labor Signal. He took the case under advisement, and will render his decision this morning.

## Must Pay the Doctor's Bill.

Judge Taylor yesterday rendered a judgment against Frank Ankenbrock, in favor of Harriet Lampher, for \$300. On the 4th of last July Mr. Ankenbrock accidentally shot the plaintiff, while practicing with a Flobert rifle. The injury did not prove serious, but the judge thought Ankenbrock should pay the doctor's bill.

## Compromised and Dismissed.

Ira Rush, who brought suit against United States Marshal Hawkins for \$5,000 damages for illegal arrest on election day, has dismissed his suit, a compromise of the particulars of which were not made public, having been agreed upon.

## The Trial of Louis Tansel.

The trial of Louis Tansel, of Boone county, charged with attempting to murder his brother, was resumed in the Criminal Court yesterday afternoon. It will probably be concluded to-day.

## Will Pay for His Mad Frank.

August Bruhn, the boy who dropped a lighted match in a natural gas regulator on Ash street, Thursday, was fined \$5 by Mayor Denny yesterday.

## Clearing the Circuit Docket.

Judge Hadley is clearing up the circuit docket at a rapid rate. The docket for several years has been crowded with a large number of old cases, and these the Judge will dispose

of either by dismissal or trial. At the beginning of the December term, Monday, both the civil and criminal dockets will be called, in order that the old cases may be wiped out, and that the trial calendar for the term may be made anew.

## The Court Record.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

Room 1—Hon. N. B. Taylor, Judge.

Harriet Lampher vs. Frank Ankenbrock; damages. Judgment on verdict for plaintiff for \$300.

Ira Rush vs. Ed Hawkins et al.; damages. Cause dismissed by plaintiff.

Room 3—Hon. Eli F. Ritter, Acting Judge.

James Egan et al. vs. Thomas M. Gruelle et al.; proceedings in contempt. Under advisement by court.

New Suit Filed.

Leopold Lohs et al. vs. Adam Glick; complaint on account. Demand, \$500.

Adolph Seidensticker vs. The Indianapolis Union Railway Company; complaint for damages.

Douglas Whittaker vs. William Pfafflin et al.; complaint for damages. Demand, \$1,000.

## CIRCUIT COURT.

Hon. John W. Hadley, Judge.

Margaret Hughes vs. Anthony Hanson; slander. Jury returned verdict for defendant.

John Elliott vs. Louis Berghelm; services as veterinary surgeon; appeal from justice of peace. Judgment of lower court affirmed, in favor of plaintiff.

William G. Kennedy vs. Ester A. Kennedy. Decree of court with reference to custody of children modified so as to permit Peter Kennedy, father of children, to send them to his home at Ingersoll, Ontario, Canada, and care for them in his own family.

William H. Martz vs. Mary H. Mason, administrator of John H. Mason's estate. Motion to set aside default and judgment overruled.

Berkshire Life Insurance Company vs. Eli M. Long; for possession of property; appeal from justice of peace. Trial by court; finding for plaintiff.

## CRIMINAL COURT.

Hon. William Irving, Judge.

State vs. Louis Tansel; attempted murder. On trial by jury.

## WAYWARD WOMEN AND GIRLS.

## Managers' Report Concerning Affairs of the Female Prison and Reformatory.

The seventeenth annual report of the managers of the Indiana Reform Institution for Women and Girls, for the fiscal year ending Oct. 31, 1888, was filed with Governor Gray yesterday, and is signed by Eliza C. Hendricks, Claire A. Walker and Martha M. James, as such managers. The report, after furnishing a list of the employees and noting the changes that have occurred during the year past, goes on to state that in the penal department of the institution there are fifty-five convicts and two infants. Eleven of the convicts are life prisoners. Twenty-seven were received and twenty discharged during the year. One was pardoned, one sent out on ticket of leave, and one committed to the City Hospital for surgical treatment. The managers enter a vigorous protest against the system of short sentences which prevails, urging that but little can be accomplished in the way of reformation where the time usually given is so brief.

In the reformatory department proper there are 133 listed. Forty-four of these were received during the year, and now remain in the institution. A change in the law governing the admission of girls is asked for, and it is desired that girls may be taken there from eight to fifteen years of age, and kept until they are twenty-one unless sooner discharged. A change in the name of the institution is also petitioned for, and it is suggested that it be called the Reformatory for Girls and Women's Prison, the idea being that the distinction should be more clearly made between girls sent there for training and instruction and those sent there as criminals.

The receipts from industries carried on at the institution last year were \$3,827.50, and the managers claim that the inmates are nearly self-supporting, although no special effort has been made to make them so. The most pressing want is a hospital building, for which \$10,000 is asked from the Legislature, and a high brick wall to shut out interference on the east side of the premises. The matron's and physician's report, which accompanies that of the managers, contains various statements on which the above recommendations are based and a large amount of detail information concerning the institution.

## Death from Chloroform.

Jacob Schmidt, living at No. 442 Indiana avenue, died at the City Hospital, yesterday morning, while under the surgeon's knife. Schmidt was a butcher, and about a month ago, while grinding sausage in a shop on Athol street, one of his fingers was caught in the machine and badly mangled. The surgeons at the hospital attended to his injuries, and an examination, yesterday morning, convinced them that the finger would have to be amputated. As is the custom in this institution, chloroform was administered by Dr. Crose, while Dr. Oliver performed the operation, during which Mr. Schmidt died, the only warning the surgeons having of his dangerous condition being the death gasp. Dr. Oliver says death resulted from the chloroform, the dose being between two drams and one-half ounce, not more than is used under such circumstances. Mr. Schmidt was addicted to drink, and as he had just been on a protracted spree, the surgeons think that fact counts for a large part of the fatality of the drug. An autopsy was held and revealed the fact. Mr. Schmidt was in such a condition that he was likely to die at any time. Mr. Schmidt was forty-five years of age, and leaves a family.

## New Incorporations.

Articles of incorporation were filed with Secretary of State Griffin, yesterday, by the Arlington Natural Gas Company, an organization formed under the act of March 7, 1887, for the purpose of drilling gas wells and handling natural gas at Arlington, Rush county. The capital stock is \$10,000, divided into 2,000 shares of \$5 each, and the officers are J. S. O'Fall, president; George W. O'Fall, treasurer, and J. C. Green, secretary.

## Anxious to Get the Work.

The Soldiers' Monument Commissioners meet Monday to prepare the advertisement for bids for the superstructure of the monument. Contractors are anxious to have a hearing and secure the work, as business with them on contracts involving large amounts, has been slack in St. Louis, Chicago, Cincinnati, New York

## PANG YIM

At No. 7 Massachusetts avenue, has opened a room and filled it with rare kinds of Chinese and Japanese Work, Japanese Curious, Rose Jar Porcelains, Vases, Fire Screens, etc. Many kinds of Chinese Tea Sets, etc. Also, Chinese Tea.

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and other cities. There is a good outlook for next season, but the monument is something all of them would like to build.

## Gen. Harrison's Visitors and Presents.

Callers at the Harrison house were less numerous yesterday than on any day of the present week, the intervention of Thanksgiving serving to postpone the visits of visitors from abroad, and possibly to lessen those of residents here. Hon. J. W. Dwyer, of the Territory of New Mexico, called in the afternoon, and in the evening a delegation of city officials from Elgin, Ill., who had spent the day here examining the systems of electric lights in use in this city, were at the general's residence to pay their respects. The Elgin party consisted of Mayor A. E. Price, City Clerk Wm. F. Sylla, Superintendent of Water-works R. R. Parker and Aldermen James V. Mink, Frank Kramer, Wm. Heine, D. R. Jencks, Fred W. Jencks, Fred P. McComb, E. R. Bolles, D. C. Sweet, James Wall, Caspar Schmidt and James A. Logan. Their call was an entirely informal one, and the hour of their visit was spent in general conversation, in which political subjects were not broached. The presents sent on yesterday took on a more practical phase than heretofore, and included oranges, potatoes and celery. The latter call was from Utah Territory, and was a remarkably fine lot.

## Conventions in December.

This month a series of State conventions will be held, beginning with that of the Horticultural Society, on the 6th, to be followed by the "The Manufacturers' and Drainage Association and civil engineers, on the 13th. From the 27th to 29th, inclusive, the State Teachers Association will be in session.

## What's the Matter with Kelisher?

Do you trade with Kelisher? If not, why not? Kelisher's all right. He's the leading tailor, 23 West Washington street. Elegant hats and low prices. Open every night till 9 o'clock.

## Look in the Show Windows!

Yes, look in Paul Kraus's show windows to see a very handsome spread of gentlemen's neckwear, quaint and curious La Toque umbrellas, rare and radiant silk suspenders, etc. Then go inside and look at his dazzling array of gentlemen's smoking jackets, bath robes and dressing gowns.

## Wagon Scales.

We have several new wagon scales which we offer at very low prices. Now is your time to get a good bargain and first-class scale; also, full line of counter, tea and platform scales, warehouse trucks, etc. HILDEBRAND & FUGATE, 52 S. Meridian st.

## It Will Pay You.

We have more money than we ought to have. We wish to turn them rapidly into money. To do this we have greatly reduced prices, and it will be to the benefit of those wanting a range to come while we are in the humor.  
WM. H. BENNETT & SON, 38 S. Meridian st.

## EVERY DAY.

The exquisite objects that we are showing now in tables and cabinets; stand lamps and racks of richly wrought brass, with Mexican onyx covers; the bewildering array of superior China ware, many of the patterns exclusive to us; the new forms of jewelry; the dainty watches and charms, are all finding purchasers among the wise who choose now and have the goods put away in our Selection Department ready for delivery. Make your selections early.

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